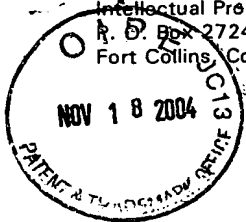


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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE  
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner dated, Oct. 20, 2004, rejecting the following claims 1-6 and 14.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b)) \$340.00.

(complete (a) or (b) as applicable)

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) apply.

(X) (a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d) for

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A ☒ one ☐ two ☐ three ☐ four month Petition for Extension of Time was previously filed with the appropriate fee on November 5, 2004.

( ) (b) Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Please charge to Deposit Account 08-2025 the sum of \$660.00. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any over payment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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